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## CITIZENS OF BARBOURVILLE

**Can You Afford To Allow  
an Opportunity of This  
Kind to Pass?**

**Prompt, Responsive Action  
Will Secure Factory  
Here**

There is a gentleman in this city who represents a large Spoke and Handle Factory at present located somewhere in West Virginia that is desirous of changing their location in order to be closer to the necessary timber for their purpose and we have been reliably informed that the company has both Barbourville and Middleboro in view and will likely select the location that offers the best inducements to them.

Now it is high time for us to get busy and ascertain what this factory really wants and if it is in our power, give them such inducements as will cause them to look no further but settle here at once.

Middleboro can not offer the advantages that we have here. Middleboro is no nearer to the coal or timber than is Barbourville. On all sides surrounding our city is large quantities of second growth hickory and oak, just the timber that a factory of this kind is seeking. Our farmers will haul this timber in on wagons and supply the plant with an endless amount of material that would prove a great advantage both to the plant and to the farmers. Then Barbourville is as near to the Harlan railroad as Middleboro, and much nearer to the Cumberland railroad both of which would supply large quantities of lumber for a factory of this kind. Barbourville has the natural gas that Middleboro could not offer because it has not got it. Barbourville has an inexhaustible water supply from the Cumberland river, while Middleboro is dependent upon an artificial lake on the opposite side of the mountain and all of its water must be pumped over a mountain to supply the consumers.

With these facts existing as they do it seems that it would be an easy matter to convince the management of this industry that this city and not Middleboro is the place for them to locate.

Let our business men come together and formulate some course of procedure and then go after this factory enterprise and never let up until it is secured. It means much to our city and every merchant and every property owner should be interested. What do you say, will you act?

### A Sure Cure

A haggard looking woman, speaking with a strong Irish brogue, walked into a West Side drug store in New York the other day and asked for a bottle of Dr. Quack's Consumption Cure. While the clerk was wrapping the package, she conversed volubly of Mike, her husband, who was sick with consumption. She said one of her neighbors, Mrs. Casey, had told her that the bottle of medicine she held in her hand would surely restore Mike to health. So she had saved 50 cents from the scant earnings she had made over the wash tub in order that her husband might have a chance. As she turned

to go away she was attracted by a sign upon which was this legend in big red letters, "Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals and help Cure Consumption. A penny for a Seal."

From the few cents in the palm of her hand the woman drew out a nickel and holding it to the clerk, said, "O'll take five of them. Sure, with this bottle of medicine, and thim things stuck on Mike, he'll be well in a wake."

### Temple Inspection

Mountain Lodge of Masons invites the citizens of Barbourville and vicinity to attend the inspection of their new temple over the Lawson building today (Friday) from 12 o'clock, noon, to 3 o'clock p. m. The ladies are especially invited to witness this inspection.

J. H. Blackburn, W. M.  
Mountain Lodge No. 187, F. & A. M.

## EVERYBODY INVITED

**To the Exhibition and Inspection  
Day at the Graded  
School Building**

On Friday afternoon, December 23, at one o'clock, we desire the patrons of the Public School to come to the Public School Building to inspect the work of the present school year.

We invite also any citizen, or any visitor in our city, to come and see us on that day.

This is the first of what we intend to make a permanent institution in our Public School. Hereafter, so long as the school is conducted by the present management, we shall appoint two days each year as "Inspection and Exhibition" days. On

those days it is our purpose to entertain parents and friends with various exercises and evidences of work which has been done in the school.

We need very much a new building and a large room where all the students could assemble together for various instructional purposes which cannot be carried out now, and we hope to have such accommodations before very long; but in the mean time we are doing some good work and we wish the community to come and see and encourage the children in their efforts.

We promise that everyone who comes will be glad of it.

Don't let anything keep you away. Come and be school boys and school girls again. It will do you good. It's the best medicine in the world. It will not only make you well, but it will make you have the happiest Christmas you have ever experienced.

(Signed) "Students"  
Barbourville Graded and High School.

## JIM WHITE

**The Negro Rapis, Granted  
Respite till Jan. 16**

Last Saturday afternoon the Sheriff and County Attorney of Bell county each received a message from Gov. Willson, stating that a respite until Jan. 16, 1911 had been granted to Jim White, who was under sentence to be hanged at Pineville last Monday for rape committed on little Mossey Woodward an eight year old white girl in Middleboro about a year ago.

It is claimed by the attorneys representing White that new evidence has been discovered and their appeal to the Governor caused the delay.

White admitted his guilt on the witness stand and we fail to

see in what way new evidence could benefit him.

This will amount only to a short delay however as it is almost certain that the Governor will never commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

White will perhaps be the last criminal to pay the penalty with his life by hanging as the electric chair has now gone into effect.

## LARGE STONE

### BREAKS LOOSE

**Causes Consternation in Little Town of Cumberland Gap**

A large rock said to have weighed fifty tons broke loose from a crevice just under the pinnacle in the Cumberland Mountains, overhanging the small town of Cumberland Gap, Saturday night and rolled about 1,500 feet, cutting a swath in the timber in its path twenty feet wide and tearing a gap as wide as the military pike that leads across Cumberland Gap, missing a dwelling on the hillside about fifty yards. The rock was oblong or it would have rolled through the center of Cumberland Gap.

### A Kentucky Boy for Page

State Senator Nat C. Cureton, of Louisville, is as happy as he can be. The Senator wanted to be Postmaster at Louisville, but the appointment went to Robert E. Woods. Senator Cureton did not pout, however, and said that he was a better Republican than ever, and went ahead about his business. A day or so ago Senator Cureton received a telegram from Senator Bradley announcing that Nat C. Cureton, Jr., had just been appointed to a preceptorship in the United States Senate. The Senator hurried home, packed the boy's grip and sent him off to Washington, telling him to be a good boy, study hard and that some day he might be going to Washington as a United States Senator.

### At Union College To-Night

The Primary Department of Union College, under the direction of Miss Roberta Allen Sandusky, will give a Christmas entertainment to-night (Friday) at 7 o'clock. Everybody comes—no admission.

## SHERIFF'S SALE

Grant Hommons, Plaintiff,

vs.

M. J. Jackson, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution placed in my hands by the Knox Circuit Court, I will on December 26, 1910, that being County court day between the hour of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. sell at public outcry to the highest bidder on a credit of three months the following described tract of land, lying on the Road Fork of Stinking Creek and bounded on the north by the lands of Houston Broughton, east by the lands of John Jackson, south by the lands of Buck Broughton, west by the lands of Obie Mills and known as the Thos. Seals farm and containing about 40 acres. Said execution is to raise the sum of \$500, together with interest at 6 per cent from the 7th day of June, 1910, and the cost in this action.

Purchaser will be required to execute good and sufficient bond with approved security for the purchase money, and a lien will also be retained upon said land until purchase money is paid in full.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Knox county, this 7th day of December, 1910.

S. H. Jones, S. K. C.

# GREAT SLAUGHTER

## OF PRICES

**FOR STRICTLY CASH SALES DURING**

**REMAINDER OF THE YEAR.**

**Here Are Prices We Are Now Making To The Trade.**

### Dry Goods, Notions and Furnishings

Calicoes at 5c per yd  
Gingham, apron check 5c per yd  
Gingham, (dress) worth 12 1/2c, now at 8 1/2c  
Dress gingham, worth 25c, now at 20c  
Percales, worth 10c, now at 7 1/2c  
Drapery, worth 12 1/2c, at 13c  
Crepe, worth 20c, now at 15c  
Flannel, worth 10c, at 8 1/2c  
Sateens, worth 15c, at 11 1/2c  
Sateens, worth 20c, at 15c  
Sateens, worth 25c, at 20c  
Outings, worth 7 1/2c, at 5c  
Outings, worth 10c, at 8 1/2c  
Hickory shirting, worth 12 1/2c, at 9c  
Cotton plaid, regular 7 1/2c at 5c  
Cotton plaid, regular 10c at 8 1/2c  
A lot of dress linings, assorted colors, worth 12 1/2c at 8 1/2c  
10c Canton flannel, at 8 1/2c  
5c woolen goods, Mohairs, at 3 1/2c  
6c Serge, at 4 1/2c  
\$1 Serge, at 7 1/2c

### SWEATERS

Children's 35c sweaters at 23c  
Ladies' \$1.25 sweaters at 88c  
Men's \$1.25 sweaters at 88c to 98c  
Ladies' woolen Underskirt pasterns, 75c to \$1.50 grade, at 48c to \$1.25  
Lace and Swiss curtains 48c up  
Pearl buttons 1c per card and up  
Spool cotton 1c per spool and up  
Table linen, small piece, regular 48c goods, at 24c  
Table linen, regular 75c goods, at 48c  
Poplins, regular 25c goods at 19c  
One lot of silks, regular 50c to \$1.50 goods, now at 35c to \$1.25  
Mufflers, regular 35c goods now at 28c  
Samsilk, 6 spools for 20c  
Woolen braids, regular 15c goods, now at 10c  
Woolen braids, regular 5c goods, now at 4c to 7 1/2c

Safety pins 2c and up  
Hooks and eyes at 4c  
Pins, per paper 1c and up  
Men's canvas gloves, 1 pr for 25c  
Boys' and Men's undressed kid gloves, regular 75c grade, at 48c  
Boys' Yonths and Men's suspenders, at 5c and up  
Daisy cloth, at 14c  
Red ticking, regular 20c grade, at 17 1/2c  
Bed ticking, regular 12 1/2c goods, at 10c  
Bed ticking, double width worth 40c, now at 33c  
Bleach cotton, worth 7 1/2c now at 6c  
Bleach cotton, worth 12 1/2c now at 9c  
Bleach cotton worth 15c now at 12 1/2c  
Lansdale cambric, worth 15c, now at 12 1/2c  
Lansdale bleach, worth 12 1/2c, now at 10c  
Brown muslin, worth 8 1/2c to 10c, now at 6 1/2c to 8 1/2c  
Solettes, worth 25c, at 20c  
Quilt lining, worth 5c, at 3c  
Bleach sheeting, worth 35c now at 28c  
Sheeting, brown, worth 30c now at 25c  
Linen, pure, worth 40c now at 35c  
Linen, pure, worth 50c now at 30c  
Linen, (dress) worth 65c now at 48c  
Linen, (dress) worth 35c now at 25c  
India linens 9c and up  
White dimity, worth 12 1/2c to 30c, now at 9c to 25c  
White lawn, worth 7 1/2c to 13 1/2c, now at 6c to 10c  
One job lot of laces and trimmings at sacrifice prices.  
Long cloth, worth 15c, now at 12 1/2c  
One lot of counterpanes, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50, now at \$1.19 to \$1.98  
Comforts, worth \$1.25 to \$2.00, now at 98c to \$1.50  
Men's work shirts, worth 35c to 50c, now at 23c to 39c

One lot of ladies' waists and skirts at sacrifice prices.  
One lot of children's, youths and men's clothing at greatly reduced prices.  
Ladies' vests and pants, worth 38c, now at 21c  
Ladies' vests and pants, worth 50c, now at 38c  
Ladies' hose, worth 10c and 15c, now at 8c to 13c  
Ladies' hose, worth 25c, at 21c  
Ladies' handkerchiefs, worth 5c to 10c, now at 4c to 8c  
Various other articles of dry goods and notions not mentioned will be sold at the same ratio of prices as mentioned above.

### Ladies' Shoes

Vici Kid Button, worth \$2 now at \$1.50  
Belle of the West, worth 2.00, now at 1.60  
Victor Kid, worth 1.50, at 1.15  
True Worth, worth 2.00, at 1.50  
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 2.50, at 1.98  
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 3.00, at 2.50  
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 2.50, at 1.98  
Old Ladies' Comfort Shoe, worth 1.50, at 1.25  
Men's Box Calf, worth 1.50, at 1.00  
Men's Satin Calf worth 1.50, at 1.00  
Men's gun metal, worth 2.00, at 1.75  
Men's Comfort Blucher, worth 2.50, at 2.00  
Men's Box Calf, worth 2.50, at 2.00  
Men's Hartford, worth 2.50, at 1.98

### Clothing

Men's and Boy's fancy shirts, worth 60c, at 44c  
Boy's fancy shirts, worth 35c and 50c, at 23c and 39c  
Men's dress shirts, worth 1.00, at 80c  
Men's Underwear, worth 35c, at 23c  
Men's Underwear, worth 50c, at 39c

Men's hose, worth 10c to 25c, cut to 8c to 21c.

### HATS

Men's hats, worth 50c, now at 38c  
Men's hats, worth 1.50 now at 1.19  
Men's hats, worth 2.00 now at 1.50

### MATTINGS.

Mattings, fancy, regular 35c cut to 30c  
Drugs or Rugs, worth \$10 cut to 8 1/2c to \$9.00

### Groceries & Provisions

Meal, per sack, 35c  
Flour, 60 to 70c  
Granulated Sugar, 19 lbs., \$1.00  
Brown Sugar, 20 lbs., 1.00  
Coffee, per lb., 17c  
Dry Salt Meal, 12 1/2 to 15c  
Lard 11 1/2 to 15c  
Blue Ribbon Oat Meal, 2 cans for 25c  
Quaker Oats 25c  
Corn Starch, 3 pkgs., 25c  
Strawberry, Peach and Black Berry Jam in jars 10c  
Olives 10 to 25c  
Sweet and Sour Pickles, per bottle 10c  
Horse Radish, per bottle, 10c  
Catsup 10 to 15c  
Table Peaches, 3 lb. cans, 15c to 18c  
Regular 25c Apricots for 17c  
Apple Butter, per can 10c  
Light Weight Oysters, per 1 lb. can 35c  
Heavy Weight Oysters, two 1 lb. cans 15c  
3 Regular 10c cans Sauer Kraut, for 25c  
2 cans Salmon 25c  
3 lb. can Tomatoes 25c  
3 cans Polk's Best Corn 25c  
3 boxes Chipped Beef 25c  
6 cakes Big Deal Soap 25c  
7 cakes Lenox Soap 25c  
10 cakes Polo Soap 25c  
2 boxes Postum 25c  
Two 3 lb pkgs. Tea 25c  
10 lb. can Corn Syrup 35c  
Wire Hair Pins, per box, 3c

There are various other goods not mentioned here that will be sold at less than cost. I mean this for a regular Clearance Sale. Persons who miss this sale will miss the greatest sale ever offered in Barbourville. There will be a general slaughter of prices, as I need the money.

## JARVIS' MAMMOTH STORE

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## DAIRYING IN THE SOUTH

Students of agricultural conditions in the Southern states agree that there is no better section in the country for profitable dairying and stock raising. The cattle tick pest has been a serious drawback and has had not a little to do in discouraging dairying in the South. With this pest eradicated by the aggressive work of state and federal authorities there is now no reason why the farmers of the south should not appreciate the advantages of dairying.

Some of the finest dairy herds in the country are found in the extreme Southern states and dairying is more profitable there than in the colder sections where dairying is so largely carried on.

There are several reasons for this. Cattle need not be housed so expensively and for so many months in the year. Pasture is cheaper and forage crops grow abundantly. Cottonseed meal, one of the cheapest and most efficient dairy feeds, is produced in abundance, and markets are unsurpassed.

Perhaps the greatest benefit that can come to the South through the promotion of dairying is the increased fertility of the land. The land will not only produce greater yields but increases in land values must follow.

Dairying consistently followed by the farmers of a community always increases land values. This is due not only to increased productivity of the soil, but to the fact that the business itself is a very remunerative one.

The Southern farmer who is anxious to improve his circumstances, and who may not be fully convinced of the benefits of dairying, should ascertain the truthfulness of the above claims before deciding his course. He can secure such information from the U. S. Department of Agriculture or from any of the state experimental stations.

The dairy cow will do more for the farmers of the South than she has done for the farmers of the North because conditions there are even more favorable for dairying.

Southern statesmen and others in position to do so should appreciate this great truth and be willing at all times to preach the gospel of the dairy cow to the Southern farmer.

A person would hardly pick Texas for the banner Republican county in the United States but such is the case. Zapata county lays claim to this distinction. At the recent election for the second successive time, the county went solidly Republican. Not a vote was cast in the county for O. B. Colquist, the Democratic candidate for Governor. Two years ago the county cast a solid vote for Taft for President. The county is situated in the Lower Rio Grande border region.

A droll story is narrated of a dog to which the power of speech was seemingly given by the art of a ventriloquist. The dog and his master one day arrived at a country inn, the latter with only a shilling in his pocket. He went in and sat down at a table and prepared to order a meal.

"Well what will you have?" asked the landlord. The ventriloquist gave his order, and then turning to the dog, he asked, "What will you have?" "I'll take a ham sandwich," was the dog's immediate reply. The inn-keeper was breathless for a moment with astonishment. "What did you say?" he asked.

"I said a ham sandwich," the dog seemed to answer.

The proprietor was so impressed by the talking dog that he immediately offered the owner a good sum for it. This was declined, the ventriloquist holding out for a larger price, which the landlord eventually paid.

As the ventriloquist was leaving the place, the dog turned to him and apparently said: "You wretch! to sell me for \$10! I will never speak another word!"

And he never did.

## What's A Seal?

"Mamma what's a seal?" asked eight year old Mary, looking up from the paper, whose black headlines she was laboriously deciphering.

"A seal is a little animal that lives in the ocean. We use its fur for coats and wraps," was the enlightening answer of the parent.

Mary puckered her brow for some minutes, and again interrogated, "Mamma, will seals stop plagues?" referring perhaps to some of the Biblical narratives she had heard told in Sunday School.

"Stop plagues! Why, child, what are you talking about?" cried the mother in amazement. "Why here it says, 'Red Cross Seals Stop White Plague,'" triumphantly holding up the paper.

Then mamma explained to her little girl that the Red Cross Seal is a tiny stamp-like sticker which is placed on the back of letters and packages coming from Santa Claus and others. Every seal costs a penny, and every penny goes to fight and cure consumption, which is the real name of the white plague, and which is an awful sickness. Mamma told her of a little girl in their own neighborhood who had consumption, but who was given a chance to get well because the people had bought Red Cross Seals.

Mary listened attentively, and finally touched by the closeness of the appeal, said, "Mamma, I think I'd rather have some of those seals than a new doll."

## FOR DECEMBER

Tom, Tom, the piper's son, Thought to steal another one, But when, with bacon 40 cents, He thought upon the consequence, And what he probably would get in case he landed in the net, The lawyers he would have to hire To save him from the butcher's ire, The money 'ud a-ha! would spend To push it to the bitter end, The merciless concern of Swift To see he was not set adrift, The sum that Armour, if he fled, Would offer for him live or dead, And how the unforlorning lust For vengeance would move the trust To make example of him lest Some other piper's son protest Against pork chops at thirty flat, And pickled pigs' feet selling at Six bits a dozen; souse a bit, And sausage even close to it— When Tom considered it, in brief, And also how much more a thief He would be this time than before, He wisely passed the butcher's door, Rejoiced that self had stood the test, And went on hoping for the best, The light from Rockefeller oil to test Whether Tom the piper's son Was really blessed with all the rest.

# THE ELIGIBILITY OF CALEB POWERS

An Able Lawyer Reviews the Law and the Facts upon Which a Few Kentucky Fire-Eaters and Hotheads Say They are Going to Keep the New Eleventh District Congressman Out of His Seat.

(By an Eminent Kentucky Jurist in Lexington Herald.)

Much has been written and spoken on this subject, some of it stupidly ignorant, the most of it wilful perversion of the real facts, and malicious misrepresentations of the law of the case. Senator McCreary and Congressman James are both lawyers and knew when they asserted that he had been thrice convicted of murder that there was no such record and there is none now. The order books of the Scott Circuit Court do show three verdicts of guilty, but the same books further show that each of them by direction of the Court of Appeals was set aside, held for naught and a new trial granted, for the reason that he had not had a fair and impartial trial.

Caleb Powers went to each of his last three trials as though no previous trial had been; the proceedings had in all former ones were as completely wiped out as the marks made by a school boy on a slate are wiped out when the sponge is passed over them. The former went for naught and were not even by the prejudiced judges who tried him allowed to be alluded to. The last trial was the first one, the verdicts in the others having been denounced by the highest court in the State as no trial unless it be fair and in accordance to law.

Caleb Powers faced the last jury without handicap from anything that had gone before, and he was presumed, notwithstanding the former verdicts, to be innocent until his guilt was then and there proved beyond a reasonable doubt: On that trial, though far from fair, yet not so unfair as the trials under judges Cantrill and Robbins, the jury disagreed; ten for acquittal and one of the two for conviction was willing if the other agreed to find a verdict of not guilty.

At the close of the last trial the position of Caleb Powers was the same that it was when the indictment was found, the question of guilt or innocence to be tried by an impartial judge, a fairly summoned jury and the rulings on evidence and the law correctly laid down to the jury.

In point of fact Caleb Powers was never tried—the trial was that of the Republican party and the cry was "hang Powers and—down the Republican party." And this permeated every investigation. The first was useless unless the second could be accomplished.

Three verdicts were set aside by the decisions of the higher court on the grounds of error committed on the trial—not trivial ones, but errors prejudicial to the substantial rights of the defendant, and but for which no adverse verdict could have been rendered. The status of Powers when his cause went to the Governor was that of an untried defendant.

Governor Wilson heard the application for a pardon signed by a very large number of good citizens of this Commonwealth, including 50,000 Democrats. Governor Wilson did not pass on the petition in so far as clemency had been asked. He went exhaustively into the law and read the record of the second trial carefully with the eye and brain of a great, upright and largely experienced lawyer in determining testimony, and competent to understand the probative force of evidence. The largest liberty of argument was afforded; and after a full investigation he concurred with the ten jurors who had been for a verdict of not guilty.

Governor Wilson's reasons for granting the pardon are not given


in the usual formal way—"divers good and sufficient reasons moving me thereto, executive clemency is extended, etc." He finds as a fact that there was no conspiracy shown and no complicity on the part of Powers with the killing of Senator (Governor he never was) Goebel. The pardon was but an act of justice to an innocent man who had suffered long but bravely, heroically, under as merciless and malicious a persecution as ever cast its dark shadow in a temple that should have been sacred to justice and fair play. The men connected with this outrage are beginning to share and will continue to share the fate of those who hounded Mrs. Suratt to her grave.

The talk that Powers will not be permitted to take his seat, or it seated will be expelled, is puerile in the extreme. A ten-year-old boy who had swept out a lawyer's office two days in succession would know better. It is a matter of common knowledge that the word "qualification" as used in Section 5, sub-Section 1, of the Federal constitution, which declares that "Each House shall be the judge of the election returns and qualifications of its own members" has reference to Section 2, sub-Section 2 of the same instrument, in which the "qualifications of a member of the lower House are prescribed—to wit: he must be twenty-five years of age, seven years a citizen of the United States, and an inhabitant of the State in which he was chosen."

These are the only qualifications requisite for a member of Congress, and a full and high degree is flung to produce an instance where Congress has ever extended them, unless it be in reference to the troubles with representatives from Utah when charged with plural marriages. In such instances it was the constituency and not the member-elect that was denied rights. Utah had obtained admission to the union on the conditions precedent pledge that plural marriages would not be indulged. To this Utah agreed and without such agreement and pledge statehood would not have resulted. The Senate and probably the House did deny seats to members proven guilty of plural marriage, but this was against the constituency and not against the individual. The constituency having violated its solemn obligation it held, and properly, that it could not have representation, the election of a plural marriageist being conclusive evidence of a violation of the compact.

That Congress can take no cognizance of matters other than as above stated has been verified in several noted cases. In 1832 Sam Houston made a brutal assault on Henry Stanberry, a member of the House from Ohio, for words spoken in debate. This was brought to the attention of that body, which after wrangling for weeks ordered Houston to be reprimanded by the Speaker. Subsequently he was tried in the district court of the District of Columbia and fined \$500. This President Jackson promptly remitted. Here was a case of a plain undenied breach of the privilege of the House of Representatives, an unwarranted conviction by a competent court; and yet the hero of San Jacinto afterwards served in the Senate of the United States unchallenged; no one for a moment thought it competent to oust him for this palpable violation of law and the right of a member of Congress to speak freely in debate.

Just previous to the Civil War Preston S. Brooks of South Carolina entered the Senate chamber after its adjournment and committed an assault and battery upon the gifted



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Charles Sumner, inflicting injuries from which he never fully recovered. For this Brooks was called before the bar of the House of which he was a member. He denied the authority of the House to act at all in the premises and in this view he was sustained by many of the members, but seeing that expulsion was inevitable, he resigned. His people at a called election promptly returned him. No objection was entered against his taking the oath and his seat.

Just after the war the brave and chivalric Gen. Lovell H. Rousseau, a member of the House from the Louisville district, made an assault on a fellow member for language used in the House. He was brought before the bar, but he, like Brooks, resigned and was re-elected to the same Congress and served out his term.

In the cases of Brooks and Rousseau the House had jurisdiction because the acts were committed while the persons were members. They did not act as against the second election for the reason that the wrongful acts had been done previous to the last election. The distinction is obvious and its statement is its verification.

A still more notable case is that of the celebrated Wilkes in England. He was expelled from Parliament. His Middlesex constituents re-elected him. On his application to take his seat the question at once arose as to his eligibility to that Parliament. On this was brought to hear the ablest intellect in the realm, including that of the renowned Junius, who caught Blackstone at fault. The question was after long delay settled in favor of Wilkes, and that view has not since been the subject of serious controversy in any deliberative body. It stands nem cou.

No memorial of protest can be drafted which if the facts be stated will not be vulnerable in head and heel, the subject of demurrer. The facts are that Powers was indicted; at the first trial the jury found a verdict of guilty; on appeal this was reversed and a new trial ordered; the second trial a similar verdict; it reversed and so with the third; and a hung jury on the fourth. Will the merest tyro say that this is a case of expulsion if it was even competent for Congress to act? No lawyer of recognized standing in the profession would for a second think of hazarding his reputation by affirming it.

It is safe to predict that no such step will be taken. If so it will be in line with General Grant's statement that the Democratic party could be relied on to act the fool at the right time. No step could be more propitious for Powers or the Republican party in the State than his unholy persecution should be carried to the Nations capital to be passed on by Democrats. But we shall see what we shall see.

An expert declares Kentucky is the best marksmen. It has been visiting in Breathit.

Cement is each year becoming more and more prominent as a factor in building and construction work. The United States Geological Survey announces that the production of Portland cement in 1905 amounted to 35,246,812 barrels, valued at \$33,245,897. This is a gain of 8,740,931 barrels in quantity and \$9,890,748 in value over the output of 1904, which amounted to 6,505,881 barrels, valued at \$23,356,119.

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PERSONALS  
**Around Town**

Mrs. John Parker is visiting relatives in Atlanta, Ga.

Alex Stanberry, of Knoxville, was in town last Monday on business.

M. P. Lewallen, of Trosper, was in town Monday on business.

Charles Cole, of Trosper, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

W. H. McDonald made a flying trip to Middleboro last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lila Hays, of Pineville, is spending the holidays with her parents here.

Judge Sampson made a business trip to Louisville last Saturday and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. H. F. Davis, of Pineville, is visiting the family of A. D. Smith in this city this week.

Rev. T. B. Stratton left last Friday night on a tour of the District and will be absent until after Christmas.

Bob and Vernon Faulkner returned Tuesday from Pulaski county where they spent several weeks hunting.

Urban Miles, formerly of this place, but now located in Corbin, is visiting home folks here for a few days this week.

Miss Eva Peters returned last week from Lexington, where she has just completed a business course in Smith's business college.

Mrs. Alex Wilson will leave Sunday for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sawyers.

Jess Gregory came up from Williamsburg last Saturday to visit home folks and was here several days the first part of the week.

Rev. Father Ambrose, of Corbin, will preach at St. Gregory's Church next Sunday night at 7:30. Mass and communion Monday morning at 8:00 o'clock.

Charles Davis returned Sunday morning from a stay of several days in Louisville where he visited several of the councils of Red Men. He reports a delightful trip.

Mrs. James D. Black and two daughters, Mrs. H. H. Owens and Miss Gertrude Black, returned Saturday afternoon from Louisville where they had spent several days during the week shopping.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Black gave a dinner in honor of the birthday of Mrs. John A. Black. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John A. Black, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. England, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Black, Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Harrop.

Morando Bernard, the Italian sheenmaker who has conducted a shop here for the past two or three years, has sold out to Lucian Broline, of Middleboro, who will continue the repair business here. Morando left Sunday night for his former home in Galveston, Tex., where his people live.

Rev. T. B. Stratton, District Superintendent of the Lexington District, will be here Sunday and Monday to hold his first quarterly meeting. Preaching Sunday evening at 7 p. m., at which service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. The quarterly conference will be held on Monday night. All are welcome to these services which will be held in the Presbyterian church.—Somerset Herald.

**LOCAL LOOM**  
BREVITIES.

Herndon and Tinsley have always been headquarters for Christmas goods.

The stores are taking on the appearance of Christmas.

See the nice line of umbrellas at Herndon & Tinsley's, just from the factory.

Do your Christmas shopping at the Gibson Co.'s store. 10 per cent discount for cash.

Herndon & Tinsley are not cutting prices, but are selling a high class of merchandise at reasonable prices.

A Cincinnati jewelry firm will have a large line of jewelry on sale at Cortelloni's Drugstore, from Dec. 20th to 24th.

Herndon & Tinsley do not carry anything in brass rings, or old junk, but what they offer is new, clean, and up-to-date.

Union College will close tomorrow until after the holidays. Quite a number of the boarding students will go to their respective homes to spend vacation.

The Gibson Company is making a discount of 10 per cent on all goods sold for cash during the holidays. Christmas shoppers should take advantage of this reduction and do their shopping early.

9 to 4 in favor of Pineville was the result of the basket ball game played at Pineville last Tuesday night between the team of that place and the team representing Union College. Too bad boys!

Detherage and Perkins, who will occupy the new Lawson store room, have already begun to fit up the store with their new stock. Mr. Detherage will also occupy the J. S. Miller store room on the opposite side of the street with a full line of groceries and the present stand will be vacated.

"Uncle Ike" Golden, the popular restaurant man, has, this week, opened up a first class Cafe, up-to-date in every particular, in the Lila Cole building adjoining the post office. This is something Barbourville has long needed and under the management of "Uncle Ike" the public will be given the best service possible.

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**A Free Load of Coal**

The management of the Moving Picture Theatre are going to give away, absolutely free, a ton of coal at the close of the Saturday night's show. A number will be given with every ticket purchased and the person holding the lucky number will receive the ton of coal.

**The Musicals**

Miss Mattie D. Lilleston, teacher of music at Union College, gave a recital in music last Friday night by her primary pupils and on Monday night by the advanced pupils.

Both the musicals were liberally patronized by the citizens of the town who enjoyed the entertainments very much.

**Real Estate Transfers**

John H. Lawson has sold his residence on Wall St., purchased from W. H. McDonald, to his father, Tye Lawson, and has purchased the Frank Baker residence at the intersection of Manchester and Main Streets where he will move with his family. Mr. Baker, it is reported, will locate in Florida.

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

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Success to the Mountain Advocate.

Miss Clara B. Campbell, of Wilton, was visiting home folks Saturday and Sunday.

O. N. Prichard was at King Saturday on business.

John Cooper was in Barbourville Saturday on business.

Miss Lidia Engle, of Permon, was the guest of home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Bradley Reese was visiting friends in Wilton the first of the week.

Clarence Smith was in Corbin Saturday.

Arthur Cooper, of Corbin, is a guest of relatives here this week.

Sharp Engle, of Rockhold, was the guest of M. B. Cooper Monday night.

W. H. Campbell was in Wilton Tuesday.

Ed Burnett, of Wilton, was calling on Miss Clara Campbell Sunday.

E. Knuckles was calling on Miss Arlie D. Williams Sunday.

Everybody is invited to attend the entertainment to be given at the Campbell school house the 24th.

Prof. J. H. Cooper, of Grays, was a guest of home folks the last of the week.

E. Knuckles was in Barbourville Saturday on business.

Charles Davis, of King, and Miss Belle Campbell, of this place, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride on December 5th. We wish for them a long and peaceful life.

J. F. Walters, of Wilton, and Miss Alice Helton, of this place, eloped to Barbourville last Monday and were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. We wish for them a long and peaceful, and happy married life.

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From the Pen of Hon. John H. Wilson and Hon. Vincent Boreing, Re-Echoed from '74 and '75

KNOX COUNTY LOCALS, JANUARY 20th, 1875.

W. H. Campbell, who has been living in Illinois for two years, is at home on a short visit.

Elliot Baker, John Bingham and T. J. Spurlock and a son of Wm. Sibert left last week for Tusculum College, in Tennessee, but we learn that they halted at Taxwell.

Crit Watkins and C. W. Lester, of Whitley, were here Monday. Also Dan Lovill, Hiram Iones and a number of citizens of Laurel county.

Alex. Vaughn will go to London next week to attend school.

George M. Dean will leave in a few days for Tusculum.

"Willie" and "Yaug" have not got their hog.

Dr. John H. Westerfield and lady, will leave in a few days for Arkansas.

The young ladies at Uncle Bill Tinsley's gave a nice "social" Tuesday evening.

The name of our townsman, Jno. Dushman, having been mentioned in connection with the candidacy for Lieutenant Governor, he has written to the Ledger stating he is not an aspirant and would not accept the nomination.

Hon. D. Y. Lytle, of Manchester, is mentioned in Democratic circles as the possible for Lieutenant Governor. He is a good lawyer and would make a dignified President of the Senate. His temperance speeches and known opposition to the free use of whisky would command the respect of all who desire sober officers; but our opinion is, David will stand no show in a convention where there will be so many greedy aspirants.

# OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

## NEW STORE, NEW STOCK.

We take this opportunity of announcing to the trade that we will be open and ready for business in the new store room in the **LAWSON BUILDING, on Saturday, December 17th, 1910.**

We have put in an entire new stock of goods in keeping with the season and solicit your patronage. We are well known to the people generally throughout this section of country, as we have been in business in this city for some time past. The fair dealing that we at all times have accorded to our customers convinces us that we will now receive a liberal share of the public trade.

Call and inspect our new line of Clothing, Ladies' and Gents' furnishings, Novelties, etc. We will also have a full and complete line of handsome **Christmas Novelties**, which you should see. We also carry a full line of Groceries and Provisions in the Miller Store room on the opposite side of the street, so that we are prepared to serve you in almost anything you may wish.

Come in and see us whether you wish to buy or not, see what we have and learn our prices, and see how we treat the public, and if you have never been our customer we have every reason to believe that you will become one.

We are expecting you at our opening. Don't disappoint us.

Very truly yours,  
*W. H. Detherage.*

Frank McVey, who has been absent in the West for two or three years, is at home. They will come back to old Knox occasionally.

The Chicago Tribune has the following: "John D. white, the youthful (and only Republican) Congressman-elect of Kentucky, was on the floor of the Senate, at Washington, the other day, and was introduced with considerable flourish and jocularly by the Democratic Senators Stevenson and McCreary."

Christmas day was a bright, beautiful one—warm enough without a fire, and was enjoyed by the firecracker brigade and the dancing brotherhood. Christmas morning found the public square filled with wagons and boxes, and Dr. Herndon's sign on Culton's stable. Jno. Dushman had an egg-nog which Ev. Pogue said was the best ever made; and we all agreed with him. Gord Bain, Hugh Smith and "Sandy" played "tag," and chased old Christmas 'round and 'round. Santa Claus filled all the little folks' stockings with Christmas toys, and he stole a big yellow turkey from Bill Fox, and Bill said it was Josh Faulkner who did the stealing, and while he was out trying to find his "yaller" gobbler some body stole his black gobbler. Yancy had six chickens to go where the "woodbine twined," but after helping to devour them asked the boys not to tell "Melie." Dancing at Congress and Saratoga Halls, music by the "Union Band." It was generally conceded that M. D. Amis was the most graceful dancer, but Russ St. John the most fertile in originating figures. However, this was a quieter Christmas than we have had for several years, and everybody seemed to be in a good humor.

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